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## Docket No. AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL LETTER LOREAL 3.0-039 Filing Date Examiner Art Unit Application No. 1617 L. M. Williams 10/646,300-Conf. #9219 August 22, 2003 Applicant(s): Hani Fares, Marc Cornell, Sidney Peter Foltis, and Isabelle Hansenne Invention: COMPOSITIONS CONTAINING TOPICAL ACTIVE AGENTS AND PENTYLENE GLYCOL TO THE COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application. The fee has been calculated and is transmitted as shown below. **CLAIMS AS AMENDED** Claims Highest Remaining Number Number **Extra Claims** After Previously Present Rate **Amendment** Paid 50.00 0.00 **Total Claims** 38 0 25 X Independent 200.00 7 6 200.00 X **Claims** Multiple Dependent Claims (check if applicable) Other fee (please specify): TOTAL ADDITIONAL FEE FOR THIS AMENDMENT: 200.00 **Small Entity** x Large Entity No additional fee is required for this amendment. 12-1095 in the amount of \$ 200.00 × Please charge Deposit Account No. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed. A check in the amount of \$ to cover the filing fee is enclosed. Payment by credit card. Form PTO-2038 is attached. 12-1095 X The Director is hereby authorized to charge and credit Deposit Account No. as described below. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed. x Credit any overpayment. x Charge any additional filing or application processing fees required under 37 CFR 1.16 and 1.17. November 27, 2006 Dated: Attorney/Agent Reg. No.: 33,071 LERNER, DAVID, LITTENBERG, KRUMHOLZ & MENTLIK, LLP 600 South Avenue West Westfield, New Jersey 07090 (908) 518-6346 I hereby certify that this paper (along with any paper referred to as being attached or enclosed) is being deposited with the U.S. Postal Service on the date shown below with sufficient postage as First Class Mail, in an envelope addressed to: MS RCE, Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450. (Shawn P. Foley) Dated: November 27, 2006

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## **AMENDMENT**

Dear Sir:

In response to the Official Action mailed July 27, 2006, applicant submits the following amendments and remarks.